

WATER QUIZ

What's your H₂O IQ?

1. By volume, the greatest pollutant of Virginia's water is:
☐ A. From sewage treatment plants
☐ B. Sediment
☐ C. Industrial waste
☐ D. Litter
2. Which of the following absorbs heat best?
☐ A. Water
☐ B. Ammonia
☐ C. Kerosene
☐ D. Oil
3. Water accounts for what percentage of your body weight?
☐ A. 15 percent
☐ B. 40 percent
☐ C. 65 percent
☐ D. 95 percent
4. How much of Earth's water is freshwater?
☐ A. 3 percent
☐ B. 10 percent
☐ C. 50 percent
☐ D. 75 percent
5. Water, "the universal solvent," can dissolve anything except
☐ A. Rock
☐ B. Gold
☐ C. Steel
☐ D. Some plastics, other man-made compounds
6. Which disease is **not** transmitted through water?
☐ A. Dysentery
☐ B. Typhoid fever
☐ C. Cholera
☐ D. Malaria
7. From which source does the highest percentage of water evaporate?
☐ A. The oceans
☐ B. Freshwater lakes
☐ C. Plants and trees
☐ D. Rivers and streams
8. People use about how many gallons of water daily?
☐ A. 5
☐ B. 10
☐ C. 25
☐ D. 70
9. What resource do factories use the most of?
☐ A. Oil
☐ B. Water
☐ C. Wood
☐ D. Iron
10. Water can exist as ...
☐ A. A solid
☐ B. A liquid
☐ C. A gas
☐ D. All of the above

Answers:
1. B. Sediment, 2. B. Ammonia, 3. C. 65 percent, 4. A. 3 percent, 5. D. Some man-made compounds, 6. D. Malaria, 7. A. Oceans, 8. D. 70, 9. B. Water, 10. D. All of the above



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